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Michigan National Guard Soldier to Sing at World Series

**Lansing, Mich**. — Staff Sgt. Amy Gould, a Soldier with the Michigan Army National Guard, will sing God Bless America during the seventh inning of game three of the World Series at Comerica Park, Detroit, Mich. Oct. 27, 2012.

Gould has been a member of the 126 Army Band at the Grand Valley Armory since 2004 and works as a civilian contractor for the Military Personnel Services Corporation as a family assistance center specialist.

Gould has performed as a vocalist with the 126 Army Band at concerts and ceremonies throughout the past eight years. She has performed as a vocal soloist with the Grand Rapids Symphonic Band and as a member of the Muskegon Camerata Singers. She has also sung as a member of the Grand Rapids Opera Chorus. She holds a degree in vocal music performance from Michigan State University and attended the American Institute of Musical Studies in Graz, Austria.

Most recently, she performed the National Anthem for the Inauguration Ceremony for Governor Rick Snyder and for a Toby Keith concert in Grand Rapids, Michigan.

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